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1. CZECHOSLOVAK/ALBANIAN TWO-WAY TRADE HAS BEEN CONSISTENT AND LOW-LEVEL FOR PAST FIVE YEARS. ACCORDING TO CSSR STATISTICS CZECHOSLOVAKIA IMPORTED \$25.4 MILLION AND EXPORTED \$21.8 MILLION IN 1975. HIGHEST TWO-WAY EXCHANGE REACHED IN 1974 WHEN TURNOVER WAS \$52.2 WHILE LOW POINT CAME IN 1972 WITH TWO-WAY TRADE OF \$42.4. CZECHOSLOVAKS HAVE BEEN IN SLIGHT DEFICIT EACH YEAR EXCEPT 1973 WHEN THEY REGISTERED SURPLUS OF \$500 THOUSAND.

2. BULK OF CZECHOSLOVAK EXPORTS TO MACHINERY AND ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT. MAJOR ALBANIAN EXPORTS ARE TOBACCO, NON-FERROUS ORES, AND OTHER RAW MATERIALS. OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S COMMUNIST TRADING PARTNERS ONLY MONGOLIA, NORTH KOREA AND VIETNAM RANK LOWER ON THE SCALE.
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